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Sir:

Pursuant to Applicants' duty of disclosure, enclosed please find a copy of a Supplementary European Search Report issued on February 16, 2009, in connection with a corresponding European patent application. Also enclosed are copies of documents cited in this Supplementary European Search Report, and a Form PTO/SB/08A, listing the enclosed documents.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted subsequent to issuance of a Notice of Allowance dated April 28, 2009, in connection with the above-identified application. For satisfying requirements of 37 CFR 1.97(d), the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(p) is enclosed, and the following Statement is made under 37 CFR 1.97(e):

Each item of information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three

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In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that all applicable requirements of 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98 have been satisfied, in connection with present submission of the enclosed documents. Accordingly, consideration of the enclosed documents, in due course, is respectfully requested.

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